Raymond Planning Board Minutes

June 30, 2009 Approved 07/16/09

Place: Raymond High School; Media Center

Call to Order: 7:00 p.m.

Members Present: Jonathan Wood, Chairman; Jim Kent, Secretary; Bill Cantwell, Gretchen Gott; Doug Vogel.

Staff Present: Ernest Cartier Creveling, Community Development Director; Robert Price, Planning Technician.

Pledge of Allegiance

Interviews with Legal Counsel

<u>Members Sitting for this Discussion</u>: Jonathan Wood, Jim Kent, Gretchen Gott, Bill Cantwell, Doug Vogel.

The Planning Board interviewed three different law firms for the purpose of taking over matters related to Thibeault Sand & Gravel from the Board's current law firm.

Following the interviews the Board discussed which firm they felt they should go with. First, though, Jonathan Wood polled the Board to determine if legal counsel, whomever it may be, should or should not attend the July 9 Planning Board meeting.

POLL RESULTS

Jim Kent – Yes

Gretchen Gott - Yes

Bill Cantwell – Yes

Doug Vogel – Yes

Jonathan Wood – Yes

Jonathan Wood next polled the Board to determine if the Board should hire new counsel, or stay with Donahue, Tucker and Ciandella for Thibeault-related matters.

POLL RESULTS

Jim Kent – New counsel

Gretchen Gott – New counsel

Bill Cantwell - Stay with DTC

<u>Doug Vogel</u> – Stay with DTC

Jonathan Wood – New counsel

Jonathan Wood next polled the Board to determine which of the three law firms (Gardner, Fulton & Waugh; Mitchell Municipal Group or Susan Slack) should be hired by the Board.

POLL RESULTS

<u>Jim Kent</u> – Mitchell Municipal Group <u>Gretchen Gott</u> – Mitchell Municipal Group <u>Bill Cantwell</u> – Mitchell Municipal Group <u>Doug Vogel</u> – Mitchell Municipal Group <u>Jonathan Wood</u> – Mitchell Municipal Group

<u>MOTION</u>: Gretchen Gott made a motion to appoint Mitchell Municipal Group as legal counsel to the Planning Board for all matters related to Thibeault Sand & Gravel, and also to have Mitchell Municipal Group attend the Planning Board meeting of July 9, 2009. Jim Kent seconded. The motion passed with a vote of 3-2-0, with Bill Cantwell and Doug Vogel opposed.

Other Business

No other business was discussed.

Adjournment

MOTION: Bill Cantwell made a motion to adjourn. Doug Vogel seconded. The motion passed with a unanimous vote of 5-0-0. The meeting adjourned at 9:57 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Robert Price Planning Technician

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